

## NOTICE OF EMERGENCY RULE-MAKING

AGENCY: Department of Marine Resources  
STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 12 M.R.S.A. §§6172, 6192, 6193 & 6194  
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### BASIS STATEMENT

The Commissioner of the Maine Department of Marine Resources amends the emergency DMR Chapter 95.07(I) Area No. 21-E, Hockomock Bay to Robinhood Cove (Woolwich to Georgetown), amended on January 12, 2009. This amendment enlarges the prohibited area surrounding two over board discharges in Robinhood Cove, based on an updated dilution calculation. As authorized by 12 M.R.S.A. §§6172, 6192, 6193 & 6194 the Commissioner of Marine Resources adopts emergency amendments to Chapter 95.07(I).

**RULE TITLE AND SUBJECT:** DMR Chapter 95.07(I) Area No. 21-E, Hockomock Bay to Robinhood Cove (Woolwich to Georgetown), amended on January 12, 2009, is amended as follows:

**TITLE & TEXT OF RULE:** DMR Chapter DMR Chapter 95.07(I) Area No. 21-E, Hockomock Bay to Robinhood Cove (Woolwich to Georgetown)

Effective immediately, because of pollution, it shall be unlawful to dig, take or possess any clams, quahogs, oysters or mussels taken from the shores, flats and waters of the following areas:

- A. Hockomock and Knubble Bays: (1) South and east of a line drawn across the Sasanoa River at the green #23 day marker at Upper Hell Gate; (2) Southwest of a line beginning at the north tip of Hockomock Head (Woolwich), running southeast to the north tip of Bareneck Is, then running southeast to the northeast tip of Beal Is, AND west of a line beginning at the southeast tip of Beal Is running southeast to the north tip of Lowe Pt (Georgetown); (3) North of a line beginning at a red painted post located on the east shore of Robinhood Cove, approx. 1200 yards southwest of Lowe Pt, running due west to a red painted post located on the east shore of Robinhood Cove; (4) North of a line formed by the Five Islands Road bridge from Arrowsic to Georgetown.
- B. Hockomock Bay: south of a line beginning at the north tip of Hockomock Head (Woolwich), then running east to the south tip of Ram Is (Woolwich), continuing east to the southernmost tip of Phipps Point (Woolwich), then continuing east to the north tip of the prominent point of land at the northwest side of Hubbard Point (Westport); AND east of a line beginning at the north tip of Hockomock Head (Woolwich), then running southeast to the north tip of Bareneck Is, then running southeast to the northeast tip of Beal Is, then continuing through Beal Is to the easternmost point of the island, and running northeast to the south tip of Willis Pt (Westport). This area is classified "Restricted," and requires a special MDMR permit.
- C. Tarbox Cove (Westport): inside and shoreward of a line beginning at the south tip of Willis Pt, running southeast to the south tip of Pea Pt.
- D. Bailey Cove (Westport): inside and shoreward of a line beginning at the south tip of Bailey Pt, running southeast to the south tip of Round Cove Pt.
- E. The southwest lobe of Robinhood Cove (Georgetown), south of the Route 127 bridge AND north of a line beginning at the east end of the bridge, running southwest to the old stone dam, located approx. 50 yards south of the west end of the bridge.

F. The southeast lobe of Robinhood Cove (Georgetown), south of a line beginning 100 feet north south of the Route 127 bridge and running northeast to a red painted post on the eastern shore of Robinhood Cove AND north of a line beginning at a red painted post located on the east shore, approx. 400 yards south of the bridge, running due west across the cove to the opposite shore.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 8, 2009

EFFECTIVE TIME: 10:00 AM

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